

[116H5659]



(Original Signature of Member)

117TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. _____

To amend the Communications Act of 1934 to modify the definition of
franchise fee, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Ms. ESHOO introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee
on _____

A BILL

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definition of franchise fee, and for other purposes.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Protecting Community
5 Television Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. MODIFYING THE DEFINITION OF FRANCHISE FEE.**

7 Section 622(g)(1) of the Communications Act of
8 1934 (47 U.S.C. 542(g)(1)) is amended—

- 1 (1) by striking “includes” and inserting
- 2 “means”; and
- 3 (2) by inserting “other monetary” before “as-
- 4 sessment”.